Overview of Statewide Land Use & Transportation Planning Tools Improvement Project Webinar: July 27th, 2011 (2-4 pm)

AGENDA

<u>TOPIC</u>	<u>PRESENTER</u>	<u>TIME</u>
1. Welcome & Team Introductions	Terry Parker	5 min.
Introduction to Project	Terry Parker	5 min.
2. Project Overview	Jerry Walters	25 min.
3. Data Collection	Nate Roth	20 min.
4. Application of Research & Data	Raef Porter	20 min.
5. Next Steps: Tasks, timeframes	Raef Porter	10 min.
6. Q & A (submit via "chat" box)	Project Team	25 min.
7. Closing & follow-up	Terry Parker	5 min.

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Introduce Presenters:

Terry Parker, Senior Planner, Caltrans' Project
Coordinator - HQ Planning Div.

Jerry Walters, Principal - Fehr & Peers

Nathaniel Roth, GIS Programmer - UCD ULTRANS

Raef Porter, Senior Researcher - SACOG
Overall Project Manager

OVERVIEW of Presentation

- 1. Goals & Objectives of Project Terry Parker, Caltrans
- 2. Project Overview Jerry Walters, Fehr & Peers
 - Relationship to other efforts
 - Need for land use/transportation planning tools
 - "State of the practice" re: data and analysis
 - Areas selected for inclusion
- 3. Collection & Reporting of detailed Land Use & Transportation Data Nathaniel Roth, UC Davis
- 4. Applying Data Collection & Research Conducted Raef Porter, SACOG
- 5. Overview of Tasks & Schedule Raef Porter, SACOG
- 6. Q & A submit questions via "chat box" during webinar

1. Project Goals

- Caltrans has provided \$1.152 million in funding (fed & state)
- Develop and demonstrate improved software "planning tools" using available land use and transportation data, which the project Team will collect and analyze for 8 areas in California.
- Agencies (etc.) can use data and tools* to help develop and evaluate integrated land use/ transportation plans, programs & projects, e.g.:
 - Regional Transportation Plans (RTPs)
 - Sustainable Communities Strategies (SCS)
 - Local General and Specific Community Plans;
 - Proposed land use projects
- Data & tools will be useful in other planning efforts.
- * Voluntary use, not a "standard or requirement."

Project Goals

Improve & Demonstrate Planning Tools:

- GIS-based analysis tools e.g. iPLACE3s, UPLAN
 Used in California to: gather and display input during
 public meetings; develop and evaluate land use transportation "scenarios" for local & regional plans.
- "Post-processing" spreadsheet —used with available travel demand models to analyze and compare land use/transportation "scenarios" re: selected performance metrics. Will be demonstrated in one county within eight "focus" areas during this study.

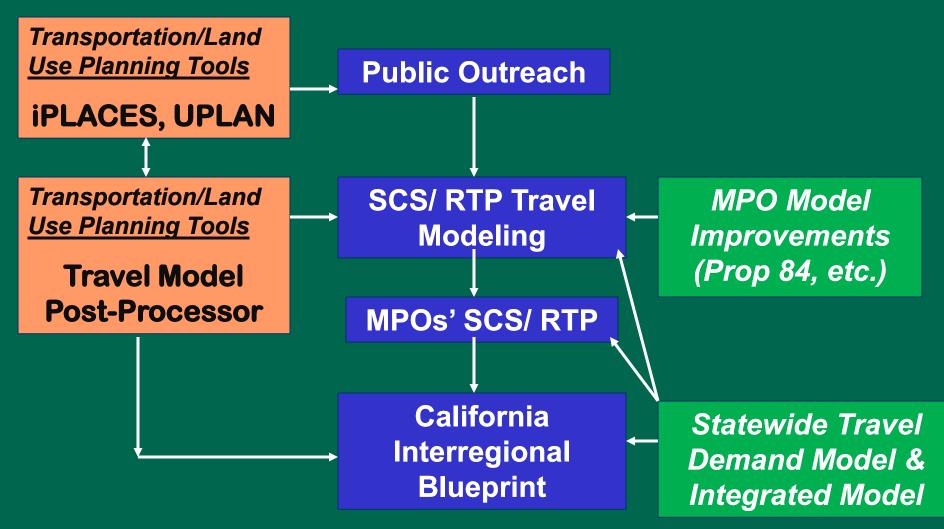
2. Overview of Project

Jerry Walters, Principal, Fehr & Peers Consultants (Subcontractor to SACOG)

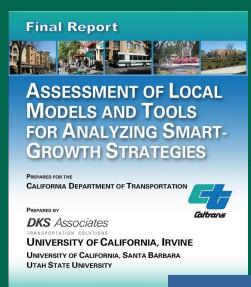
Responsible for:

- Statistical analysis of land use and travel data to determine regional relationships.
- Developing and demonstrating travel model post-processors in 8 regions.
- Meetings of "Experts" & "Practitioners" Panels.

Relationship of this Project to Other Efforts



Other Efforts (cont.)



SB 375 -

"RTAC"

Report

2007 Study for Caltrans 2010 California Regional Transportation Plan Guidelines



CTC's 2010 revised RTP Guidelines

MPO Planning Tools

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California Transportation Commission

TRIP GENERATION
FOR SMART GROWTH

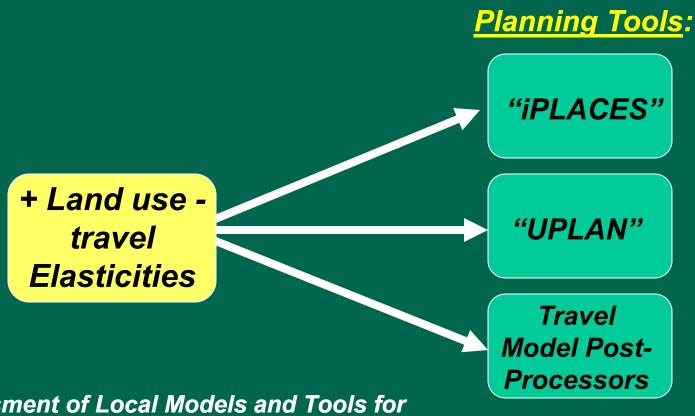
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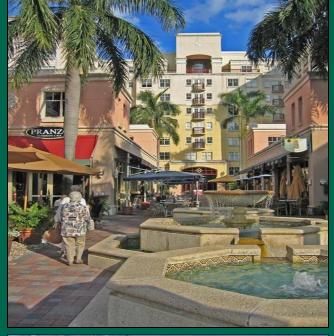
2007 Study* Recommendation:

Apply land use/travel relationships ("Ds") to compensate for lack of smart growth sensitivity in planning tools and models.



* "Assessment of Local Models and Tools for Analyzing Smart-Growth Strategies" DKS
Assoc. et.al. – for Caltrans, 2007.
http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/research/researchreports/reports/20
07/assessment_local_models_tools_growth_strategies.pdf

Land use factors found to influence travel:*





Density - dwellings, jobs per acre

Diversity - mix of housing, jobs, retail

Design - connectivity, walkability

Destinations - regional accessibility

Distance to Transit - bus, rail

Development Scale - population, jobs

Demographics - household size, income, age (etc.)

* in many studies.

Why these factors are needed –

Typical Transportation Model "Blind Spots"

	Reality	Model's View
Circulation Network		
Walking Environment	CINYTH	
• Density, Clustering	ción vin vin ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción ción vin ción	

Travel model sensitivity to land use/transportation factors:

MPOs' Self-Assessment survey conducted in 2009

KEY:

KEY	Policy Not Applicable in Region	No Capacity to Model Factor	Sensitivity Unknown/ Untested	Limited Sensitivity to Factor	Reasonable Sensitivity to Factor
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Improvement Under Development	0	(0	0	()

Travel model sensitivity to land use/transportation factors:

Major Metro MPOs in California*

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	Location	Mix	Density	Mix	Ped Env
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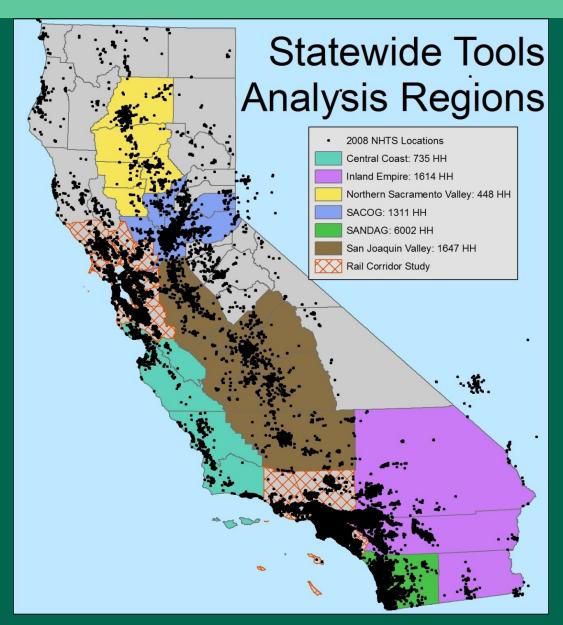
^{*} According to survey in 2009.

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This Study: Areas Included

- UCD's ULTRANS and Fehr & Peers reviewed available land use, transportation, and travel survey data in areas throughout California.
- Eight representative areas were identified with the necessary data "ingredients" -
 - (1) Available land use & transportation data (in GIS) and travel survey data of sufficient detail & quality;
 - (2) that was <u>collected during roughly the same time</u> period(s) for each area.

Selected "Focus" Areas of Study



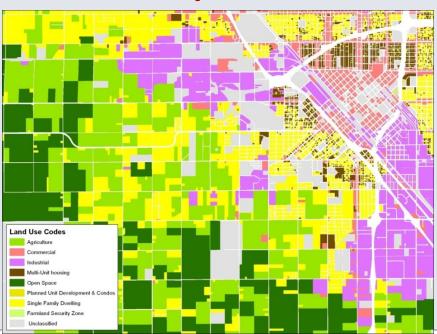
Selected "Focus" Areas

Area Type	<u>Areas</u>	Post-Processor <u>Demonstrations</u>
Major MPO - <i>North</i>	Sacramento region	SACOG
Major MPO – South	San Diego region	SANDAG
Major passenger rail corridors (only)	S.F. Bay Area & Southern Calif.	Specific corridors (tbd)
San Joaquin Valley <i>North-Central</i>	Eight Valley Counties	Fresno COG
SJ Valley South		Kern COG
Urban Growth Area	Inland Empire & Imperial County	Riverside Co.
Central Coast	Santa Barbara, SLO, Monterey, Santa Cruz	San Luis Obispo COG
No. Sac Valley <i>(rural)</i>	Shasta, Butte,	Butte CAG Slide #17

Section 3. Overview of Data Collection

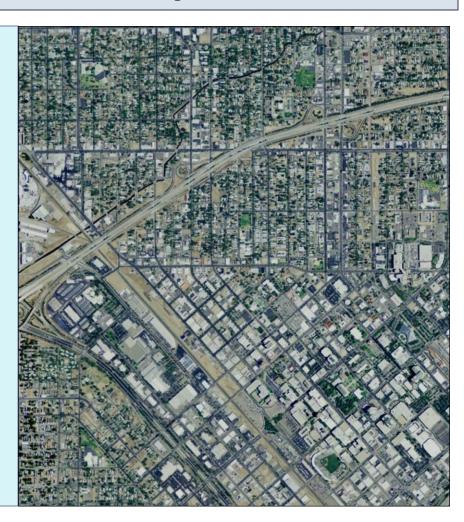
Identifying, collecting, and preparing available GIS & Travel data

Nathaniel Roth, UC Davis ULTRANS



Data Collection & Preparation

- Select "focus" Regions
- Travel survey data
- Land Use data
 - Parcels
 - Land Use
- Schools
- Roads, Blocks & Intersections
- Transit Stops
- Summarization

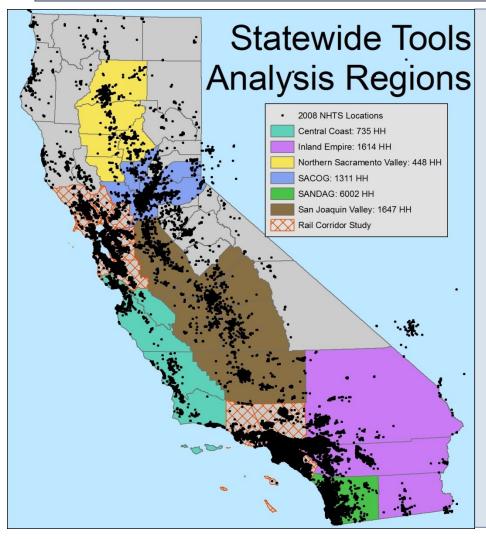


Important Data Considerations:

- Availability
 - Parcel land use codes
 - Transit stops
- Time frame
 - All data must align temporally with the travel survey
- Suitability
 - Employment & Housing

- Accuracy
 - Employment
 - Land use codes
- Consistency
 - Parcel land use codes
- Processing methods
 - Disaggregation
 - Spatial processing
 - Summarization

2008-09 National Household Travel Survey



Statewide Tools "NHTS" Collected May nalysis Regions 2008 - March 2009

- California 'Add-on' increased total sample size
- Better spatial location information than the 2001 Statewide travel survey
- Also better supporting data available for NHTS
- However, less data is available in rural areas

Land Use Data

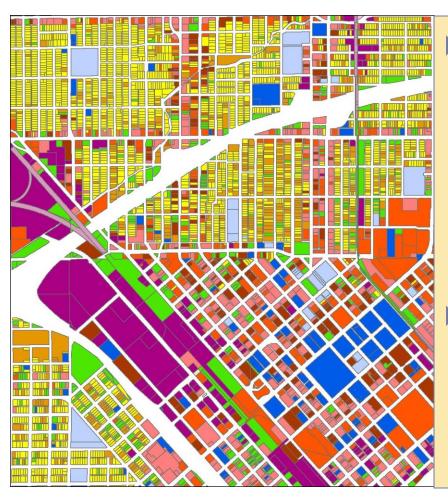
Data Sources:

- Parcels
- > 2005-2009 ACS*
- 2008 "OnTheMap4"
 - (Census data)
- Local Datasets
 - Local Travel model
- Disaggregation

*ACS=American Community Survey



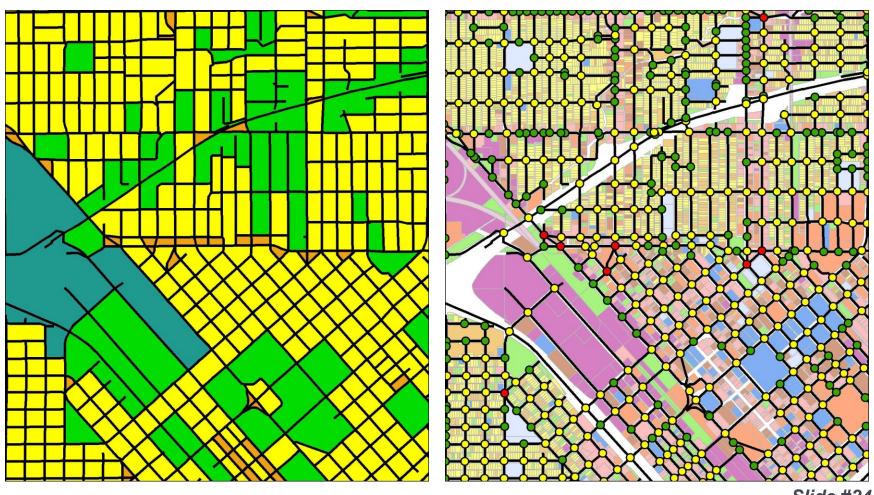
Parcel Data



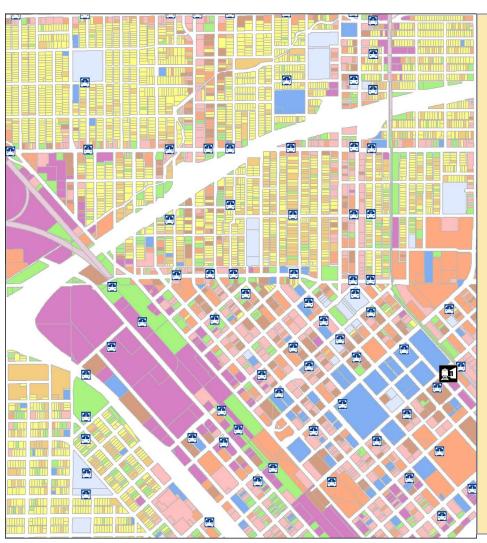
Parcel Data Issues:

- Availability
- Land use coding
- Quality
- Geometry
- Privacy
- Needed to "Crosswalk"
 Land Use Codes
 - for "naming" consistency among jurisdictions

Roads, Blocks & Intersections



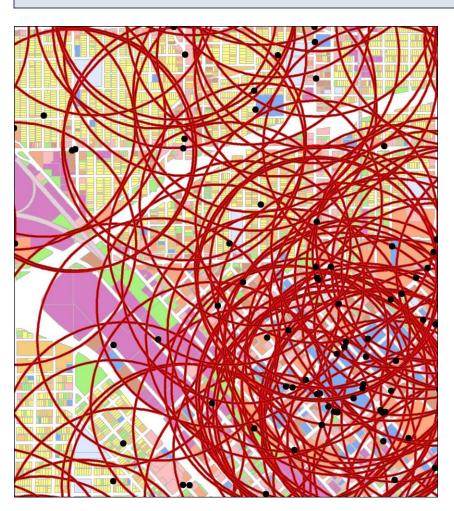
Transit Stop Locations



Bus

- All stops (where possible)
- Timed stops (where available)
- Passenger Rail
 - E.g., Amtrak, Metrolink (etc.)

Summarization of Data — within 1/2-mile of all travel survey "trip ends"





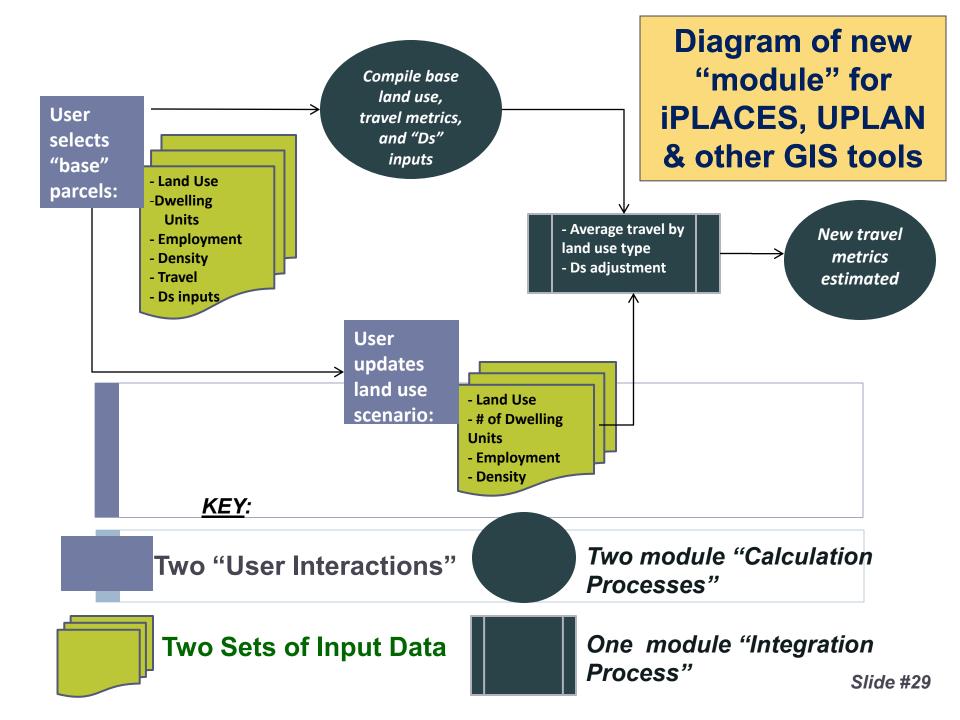
e.g., Data for Area within each circle:

- Acres of Retail: 49.2
- Acres of **Service**: 52.7
- Acres of Office: 32.8
- Acres of Institutional: 34.1
- Acres of Schools: 14.8
- Acres of Industrial: 76.2
- Acres of Single Family Dwellings: 59.8
- Acres of Multi-Family Dwellings: 32.1
- Distance to transit: 87 meters
- Distance to elementary school: 300 meters
- Total elementary school enrollment: 436 students

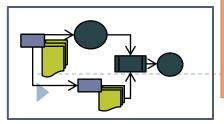
- # Employees Retail: 374
- # Employees Service: 5711
- # Employees Office: 751
- # Employees Institutional: 31
- # Employees Schools: 754.5
- # Employees Industrial: 704
- # of Single Family Dwellings: 542
- # of Multi-Family Dwellings: 1,525
- Population: 8,100 people
- # of Intersections: 108/74
- Average Block Size: 6.1 acres

4. Example of HOW DATA IS APPLIED:
Overview of Smart Growth "Module"
for GIS Planning/Visualization Tools
(e.g., iPLACES, UPLAN)

Raef Porter, Project Manager Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG)



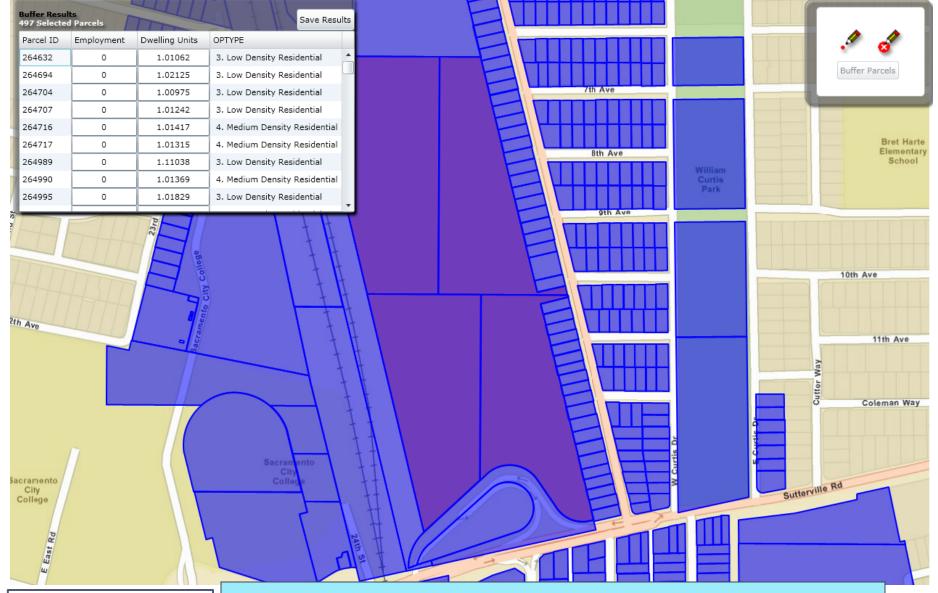


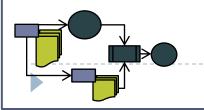


Step 1: "Buffer" area around selected parcels:

- √ User selects Parcels
- ✓ Module "Buffers" parcels within ¼ mile

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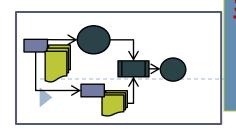




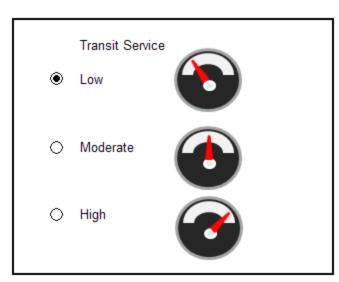
Step 2: Input alternative "Scenario(s)" -

- ✓ User edits land use inputs for each Scenario
- ✓ Module exports land use data

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Step 3: Analyze "Scenarios" - The Module averages travel metrics by land use category from the buffered "base case" context area, and then applies metrics to the new "Scenario" study area parcels.

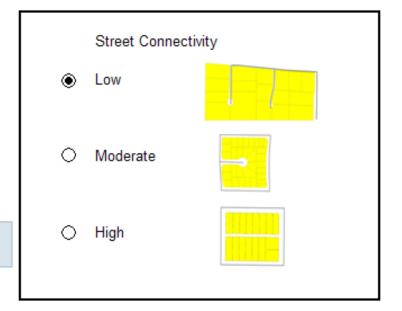


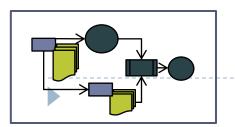
Step 4: Transportation Characteristics

- for the existing "base case" <u>and</u> the new "alternative" scenarios:

✓ User selects the applicable level of Transit Service...

✓ and the Street Pattern(s)





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Table 1. Project Description and Base Rates

	Proj Des	c		Base Travel Rates						
		% Low or Very Low	% High Density or Mixed	Ret	Non-Ret	Total	Res	Res Bike	Res Walk	Res Transit
	DU's	Density	OPType	Jobs	Jobs	Jobs	VMT/DU	Share	Share	Share
SACOG2	2	100%	0%	142	2,003	0	42.5	11.7%	4.5%	1.5%
Context Area	22,968	46%	10%	2,279	23,641	25,920	28.9	17.3%	7.8%	2.4%

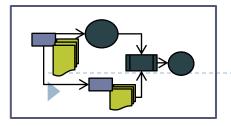
Lastly: The tool produces and reports final estimation & adjustment of travel – for both the "base case" & project "scenario(s)"

Table 2. Context Evaluation

	Context	Eval							
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					Proj				
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Scenario	/ DU	Change	J/H Bal	Change	Acres)	Context	Location	t	Context
SACOG2	71.000	lmpr	1,044.50	lmpr	27.04	Higher	Low	High	lmpr
Context Area Avg:	0.094		1.13		17.63		Moderate	Low	
Target:	0.250		1.2		n/a		n/a	n/a	
Context Status:	Low		Low		n/a		n/a	n/a	

Table 3. Adjusted Base Rates

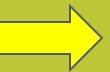
	Adjusted	Adjusted Base Rates										
		Change	Empl	Change		Change		Res				
	Res	fr Base	VMT/Jo	fr Base	Res Bike	fr Base	Res Walk	Transit	Change fr			
Scenario	VMT/DU	Rate	Ь	Rate	Share	Rate	Share	Share	Base Rate			
SACOG2	37.7	-11%	0.0	+883%	13.2%	+13%	5.1%	1.5%	-2%			
Context Area Avg:	28.9				17.3%		7.8%	2.4%				



5. Next Steps

"Practitioners Panel" - The project team will invite staff of agencies in areas included in the study to provide input via meetings, etc.

Overview of project Tasks & Schedule





- ➤ Task 1 Literature Review July 2011 (Fehr & Peers)
- ➤ Task 2a "Expert s" Advisory Panel Input re: statistical analysis of land use & travel data for study. (Fehr & Peers)
- ➤ Task 2b Practitioners' Panel(s) Meetings (dates tbd)
- ➤ Task 3 Data Collection a. gather available land use & transportation data in 8 focus regions; obtain geo-coded HH travel survey data; conduct GIS buffer analyses of trip ends. (Recently completed for 7 areas). b. Gather forecast land use data for trend & smart growth scenarios. (UCD; F&P)
- ➤ Task 4 **Develop "Elasticities"** Perform statistical analyses of data from Task 3 to estimate land use-travel elasticities for the 8 "focus" regions. Report findings. (F&P)

➤ Task 5 – Develop Analysis Modules:

- a. Develop open-source micro-level analysis tool for buffered, parcel, or grid-cell land use data for GIS tools that incorporates the elasticities from Task 4. (SACOG)
- b. Adapt open-source micro-level GIS analysis tool as an iPLACE3S "Module with user interface tailored to current iPLACE3S users. (SACOG)
- c. Adapt micro-level analysis tool as a UPLAN Module with user interface tailored to current users. (UC Davis)
- d. Develop model post-processor using elasticities from Task 4 for use with standard (zonal) travel models (F&P)
- e. Prepare documentation of these tools. (all)

Goal: Complete by March 2012.



> Task 6 - Module Testing, Validation & Calibration

- a. Draft a test plan for the micro-level I-PLACE3S & UPLAN tools; b. Conduct validation testing (SACOG, UCD)
- c. Prepare guidelines on range of land use changes appropriate for evaluation (SACOG, UC Davis).
- d. Draft test plan for the Ds travel model post-processors (Fehr & Peers)
- e. Verify that research-based results are replicated when post processor is applied to each model (SACOG, F&P)
- f. Equip model post-processor, UPLAN, and I-PLACE3S with controls on range of land use changes (Fehr & Peers)
- g. Document test plan, results, guidelines, and calibrated and range-controlled versions of tools. (all)

Goal: Complete by mid-2012.



Task 7 - Documentation, Users' Manuals, Training

- a. Prepare Draft Users' Manuals including memoranda on other Tasks & deliverables (SACOG, UC Davis, F&P)
- b. Provide time for needed user training (SACOG, UC Davis, F&P)
- c. Revise Users' Manuals based on feedback received.
- d. Publish results.

Goal: Overall project completion – by the end of 2012.



Questions & Answers (from the "chat box")





Closing

- Thank you for participating in this webinar!
- Answers to questions not responded to today will be provided via email.
- A link to a recording of this will be available.
- With additional questions and/or comments, email Terry Parker, Caltrans coordinator: Terry.Parker@dot.ca.gov

